



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION (APIC)
ITANAGAR

Before the Hon'ble Information Commissioner Mr Dani Gamboo)

AN APPEAL UNDER SECTION 19 (3) OF RTI ACT, 2005.

APIC-No.709/2022(Appeal)

Shri Riya Taram
C/o Hotel Chandni Super Market
Naharlagun
P/Pare Dist.
Arunachal Pradesh
Pin: 791110
(M) 9383103387

Appellant

Versus

Shri Nyong Paloh
PIO cumEE, PHE & WS
Lemmi Division
Pakke-Kessang District
Arunachal Pradesh

Respondent

Date of hearing: 05.04.2024.

Respondent PIO Shri Nyong Paloh, EE PHE & WS, Lemmi Division did not appear. Appellant Shri Riya Taram appeared.

Heard the party present.

The appellant states that the PIO has not furnished complete and correct information in reply to his RTI application, so necessary action should be taken against the PIO.

On perusal of the case records the following action was to be complied by the PIO.

- 1) Show cause as to why maximum penalty should not be imposed on him under section 20(1) of the RTI Act 2005.
- 2) Furnish complete and correct information as sought to the appellant.

Compliance on any of the above point is not available in record. The PIO has not attended hearing today to defend himself. The PIO did not attend last hearing on 4.8.2023 and on 8.12.2023 as well. This shows the negligence of the PIO to RTI application and violation of implementation of RTI Act 2005.

It is also seen in record that PIO has written to the appellant on 5.10.2023 for collection of information documents containing 1200 pages. On this appellant

admitted that he has received the information document but the information furnished is wrong information. The appellant shall make a written submission to the PIO stating clearly how the information furnished is wrong without deviation from the content in the original RTI application in form 'A' within 15 days from the date of this order.

The PIO Shri Nyong Paloh, EE PHE & WS Lemmi Division is given an opportunity again to comply the following order already passed by the commission:

- 1) Show cause as to why maximum penalty should not be imposed on him under section 20(1) of the RTI Act 2005.
- 2) Furnish complete and correct information as sought to the appellant.

Above direction of the commission shall be complied by the PIO by 30.4.2024, failing which the matter shall be brought to the notice of authority competent to take action against him and commission shall invoke section 20(2) of the RTI Act 2005.

The hearing is adjourned to 10th June'2024 at 02:00 PM.


Furnish copies to the parties and Deputy Commissioner Lemmi, Pake Kessang District and Chief Engineer (WZ) PHE & WS, Itanagar.

Sd/-
(Dani Gamboo)
Information Commissioner

Memo No.APIC-709/2022/1056
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Dated Itanagar the 12. April' 2024.

1. Shri Nyong Paloh, PIO cum EE, PHE & WS Lemmi Division, Pake Kessang District Arunachal Pradesh.
2. Sh. Riya Taram, C/o Hotel Chandni Super Market Naharlagun, P/Pare Dist. Arunachal Pradesh. (M) 9383103387. Pin: 791110.
3. The Deputy Commissioner, Lemmi, Pake Kessang District, AP
4. The Chief Engineer (WZ) , PHE & WS, Itanagar.
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